

## MISSOURI CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE DATA

	LABOR FORCE			CHANGE TO AUGUST 2023 FROM		
	CURRENT MONTH AUGUST 2023 PRELIMINARY	PREVIOUS MONTH JULY 2023 REVISED	YEAR AGO AUGUST 2022 REVISED	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

### **Seasonally Adjusted**

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	3,129,899	3,125,539	3,061,587	4,360	68,312	2.2
Employment	3,041,941	3,041,358	2,987,457	583	54,484	1.8
Unemployment	87,958	84,181	74,130	3,777	13,828	18.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8	2.7	2.4	0.1	0.4	
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	63.7	63.6	62.7	0.1	1.0	
Employment-Population Ratio (%)	61.9	61.9	61.2	0.0	0.7	

### **Not Seasonally Adjusted**

CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	3,129,790	3,168,350	3,067,092	-38,560	62,698	2.0
Employment	3,024,837	3,062,197	2,980,221	-37,360	44,616	1.5
Unemployment	104,953	106,153	86,871	-1,200	18,082	20.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.4	3.4	2.8	0.0	0.6	
Labor Force Participation Rate (%)	63.7	64.5	62.8	-0.8	0.9	
Employment-Population Ratio (%)	61.5	62.3	61.0	-0.8	0.5	

## NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT IN MISSOURI

	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO AUGUST 2023 FROM		
	CURRENT MONTH AUGUST 2023 PRELIMINARY	PREVIOUS MONTH JULY 2023 REVISED	YEAR AGO AUGUST 2022 REVISED	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %
<b><u>MISSOURI (Seasonally Adjusted)</u></b>						
TOTAL NONFARM	2,988,700	3,002,400	2,937,000	-13,700	51,700	1.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	2,554,400	2,570,500	2,510,600	-16,100	43,800	1.7
GOODS PRODUCING	426,200	433,300	428,100	-7,100	-1,900	-0.4
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	141,300	141,900	143,800	-600	-2,500	-1.7
MINING AND LOGGING	4,600	4,600	4,400	0	200	4.5
CONSTRUCTION	136,700	137,300	139,400	-600	-2,700	-1.9
MANUFACTURING	284,900	291,400	284,300	-6,500	600	0.2
Durable Goods	169,600	175,700	171,000	-6,100	-1,400	-0.8
Non-Durable Goods	115,300	115,700	113,300	-400	2,000	1.8
SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,562,500	2,569,100	2,508,900	-6,600	53,600	2.1
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	2,128,200	2,137,200	2,082,500	-9,000	45,700	2.2
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	560,000	567,800	557,900	-7,800	2,100	0.4
Wholesale Trade	129,400	131,100	125,800	-1,700	3,600	2.9
Retail Trade	301,400	307,600	303,900	-6,200	-2,500	-0.8
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	129,200	129,100	128,200	100	1,000	0.8
INFORMATION	47,700	47,400	48,800	300	-1,100	-2.3
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	187,500	188,400	185,800	-900	1,700	0.9
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	45,500	45,000	42,000	500	3,500	8.3
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	395,000	395,900	385,700	-900	9,300	2.4
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	174,100	174,700	172,800	-600	1,300	0.8
Management of Companies and Enterprises	61,700	61,500	60,000	200	1,700	2.8
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	159,200	159,700	152,900	-500	6,300	4.1
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	503,000	503,500	490,700	-500	12,300	2.5
Private Educational Services	71,900	72,400	67,700	-500	4,200	6.2
Health Care and Social Assistance	431,100	431,100	423,000	0	8,100	1.9
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	315,100	314,300	299,500	800	15,600	5.2
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	50,500	50,000	43,200	500	7,300	16.9
Accommodation and Food Services	264,600	264,300	256,300	300	8,300	3.2
OTHER SERVICES	119,900	119,900	114,100	0	5,800	5.1
GOVERNMENT	434,300	431,900	426,400	2,400	7,900	1.9
Federal Government	56,400	56,200	55,200	200	1,200	2.2
State Government	103,100	103,000	102,100	100	1,000	1.0
Local Government	274,800	272,700	269,100	2,100	5,700	2.1

### **MISSOURI (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	2,982,000	3,000,200	2,927,600	-18,200	54,400	1.9
TOTAL PRIVATE	2,567,800	2,592,000	2,524,300	-24,200	43,500	1.7
GOODS PRODUCING	431,100	438,800	432,600	-7,700	-1,500	-0.3
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	145,100	146,900	147,700	-1,800	-2,600	-1.8
MINING AND LOGGING	4,700	4,700	4,500	0	200	4.4
CONSTRUCTION	140,400	142,200	143,200	-1,800	-2,800	-2.0
Construction of Buildings	30,400	30,300	31,500	100	-1,100	-3.5
Specialty Trade Contractors	89,800	91,000	92,200	-1,200	-2,400	-2.6
MANUFACTURING	286,000	291,900	284,900	-5,900	1,100	0.4
Durable Goods	171,200	175,600	171,400	-4,400	-200	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing	31,900	31,800	31,400	100	500	1.6
Machinery Manufacturing	29,400	29,500	28,900	-100	500	1.7
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	13,600	13,600	13,500	0	100	0.7
Electrical Equipment, Appliance, and Component Manufacturing	11,500	11,500	11,300	0	200	1.8
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	44,700	49,900	46,900	-5,200	-2,200	-4.7
Motor Vehicle Manufacturing	12,800	13,400	11,800	-600	1,000	8.5
Non-Durable Goods	114,800	116,300	113,500	-1,500	1,300	1.1
Food Manufacturing	43,500	43,900	43,000	-400	500	1.2

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<b>MISSOURI (Not Seasonally Adjusted) - continued</b>						
SERVICE-PROVIDING	2,550,900	2,561,400	2,495,000	-10,500	55,900	2.2
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	2,136,700	2,153,200	2,091,700	-16,500	45,000	2.2
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	556,300	565,100	555,200	-8,800	1,100	0.2
Wholesale Trade	129,500	131,500	126,200	-2,000	3,300	2.6
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	72,400	73,100	72,300	-700	100	0.1
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	45,100	46,400	43,000	-1,300	2,100	4.9
Wholesale Trade Agents and Brokers	12,000	12,000	10,900	0	1,100	10.1
Retail Trade	299,200	305,700	302,500	-6,500	-3,300	-1.1
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	42,400	43,400	42,100	-1,000	300	0.7
Food and Beverage Retailers	44,300	44,600	45,200	-300	-900	-2.0
Gasoline Stations and Fuel Dealers	30,700	30,900	30,800	-200	-100	-0.3
General Merchandise Retailers	71,100	71,800	70,000	-700	1,100	1.6
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	127,600	127,900	126,500	-300	1,100	0.9
Utilities	12,000	12,000	11,700	0	300	2.6
Electric Power Generation, Transmission and Distribution	7,900	7,900	7,700	0	200	2.6
Transportation and Warehousing	115,600	115,900	114,800	-300	800	0.7
Truck Transportation	40,700	42,000	42,100	-1,300	-1,400	-3.3
Warehousing and Storage	24,500	24,400	24,300	100	200	0.8
INFORMATION	47,900	47,700	48,800	200	-900	-1.8
Telecommunications	13,800	13,900	14,200	-100	-400	-2.8
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	188,100	189,500	186,700	-1,400	1,400	0.7
Finance and Insurance	141,700	143,100	144,000	-1,400	-2,300	-1.6
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	58,800	59,700	60,400	-900	-1,600	-2.6
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	65,700	66,200	65,600	-500	100	0.2
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	46,400	46,400	42,700	0	3,700	8.7
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	395,700	397,500	386,800	-1,800	8,900	2.3
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	174,400	175,500	172,700	-1,100	1,700	1.0
Legal Services	21,400	21,800	21,200	-400	200	0.9
Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services	21,000	21,000	20,100	0	900	4.5
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	46,300	46,900	45,200	-600	1,100	2.4
Management of Companies and Enterprises	62,300	61,900	60,200	400	2,100	3.5
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	159,000	160,100	153,900	-1,100	5,100	3.3
Administrative and Support Services	150,500	151,800	146,300	-1,300	4,200	2.9
Employment Services	50,600	51,000	52,500	-400	-1,900	-3.6
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	497,000	497,600	485,700	-600	11,300	2.3
Private Educational Services	66,200	66,600	61,300	-400	4,900	8.0
Private Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	33,100	33,700	31,600	-600	1,500	4.7
Health Care and Social Assistance	430,800	431,000	424,400	-200	6,400	1.5
Offices of Physicians	46,500	46,300	43,800	200	2,700	6.2
Hospitals	134,800	134,000	129,700	800	5,100	3.9
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	70,000	69,200	67,500	800	2,500	3.7
Social Assistance	102,600	104,000	103,600	-1,400	-1,000	-1.0
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	330,400	334,200	313,500	-3,800	16,900	5.4
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	57,600	59,400	50,100	-1,800	7,500	15.0
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	43,200	44,800	34,300	-1,600	8,900	25.9
Accommodation and Food Services	272,800	274,800	263,400	-2,000	9,400	3.6
Accommodation	35,900	37,700	33,100	-1,800	2,800	8.5
Food Services and Drinking Places	236,900	237,100	230,300	-200	6,600	2.9
OTHER SERVICES	121,300	121,600	115,000	-300	6,300	5.5
Repair and Maintenance	27,800	27,800	27,500	0	300	1.1
Personal and Laundry Services	25,600	25,700	25,400	-100	200	0.8
GOVERNMENT	414,200	408,200	403,300	6,000	10,900	2.7
Federal Government	56,300	56,300	54,900	0	1,400	2.6
State Government	97,700	98,100	97,600	-400	100	0.1
Local Government	260,200	253,800	250,800	6,400	9,400	3.7

## NONFARM PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT IN METROPOLITAN AREAS

	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO AUGUST 2023 FROM		
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<b><u>CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)</u></b>						
TOTAL NONFARM	46,500	46,100	45,200	400	1,300	2.9
<b><u>CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)</u></b>						
TOTAL NONFARM	45,900	44,300	44,600	1,600	1,300	2.9
TOTAL PRIVATE	40,400	40,100	39,200	300	1,200	3.1
GOODS PRODUCING	6,500	6,400	6,200	100	300	4.8
SERVICE-PROVIDING	39,400	37,900	38,400	1,500	1,000	2.6
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	33,900	33,700	33,000	200	900	2.7
GOVERNMENT	5,500	4,200	5,400	1,300	100	1.9

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**COLUMBIA MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	106,700	106,600	104,100	100	2,600	2.5
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**COLUMBIA MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	105,900	105,300	102,700	600	3,200	3.1
TOTAL PRIVATE	76,800	76,600	74,200	200	2,600	3.5
GOODS PRODUCING	9,200	9,100	9,100	100	100	1.1
SERVICE-PROVIDING	96,700	96,200	93,600	500	3,100	3.3
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	67,600	67,500	65,100	100	2,500	3.8
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	16,300	16,100	16,000	200	300	1.9
Retail Trade	10,600	10,600	10,700	0	-100	-0.9
GOVERNMENT	29,100	28,700	28,500	400	600	2.1
Federal Government	2,700	2,700	2,600	0	100	3.8
State Government	19,400	19,700	19,300	-300	100	0.5
Local Government	7,000	6,300	6,600	700	400	6.1

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**JEFFERSON CITY MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	82,300	82,500	79,500	-200	2,800	3.5
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**JEFFERSON CITY MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	82,200	82,400	79,200	-200	3,000	3.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	56,900	57,100	54,900	-200	2,000	3.6
GOODS PRODUCING	12,900	13,100	12,300	-200	600	4.9
SERVICE-PROVIDING	69,300	69,300	66,900	0	2,400	3.6
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	44,000	44,000	42,600	0	1,400	3.3
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	14,300	14,400	13,700	-100	600	4.4
Retail Trade	8,800	8,800	8,700	0	100	1.1
GOVERNMENT	25,300	25,300	24,300	0	1,000	4.1
Federal Government	800	800	800	0	0	0.0
State Government	19,000	18,900	18,100	100	900	5.0
Local Government	5,500	5,600	5,400	-100	100	1.9

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**JOPLIN MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	84,000	84,000	82,200	0	1,800	2.2
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**JOPLIN MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	83,600	83,100	81,500	500	2,100	2.6
TOTAL PRIVATE	74,500	74,000	72,600	500	1,900	2.6
GOODS PRODUCING	18,000	17,800	17,100	200	900	5.3
MANUFACTURING	13,600	13,600	13,500	0	100	0.7
Non-Durable Goods	6,400	6,400	6,600	0	-200	-3.0
Food Manufacturing	4,100	4,000	4,100	100	0	0.0
SERVICE-PROVIDING	65,600	65,300	64,400	300	1,200	1.9
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	56,500	56,200	55,500	300	1,000	1.8
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	22,000	22,000	22,000	0	0	0.0
Retail Trade	10,200	10,100	10,100	100	100	1.0
General Merchandise Retailers	3,300	3,400	3,200	-100	100	3.1
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	14,000	13,600	13,400	400	600	4.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	13,500	13,000	12,900	500	600	4.7
GOVERNMENT	9,100	9,100	8,900	0	200	2.2
Federal Government	400	400	400	0	0	0.0
State Government	1,100	1,200	1,100	-100	0	0.0
Local Government	7,600	7,500	7,400	100	200	2.7

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#### **KANSAS CITY MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	1,137,900	1,148,300	1,117,000	-10,400	20,900	1.9
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#### **KANSAS CITY MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	1,139,600	1,150,400	1,119,000	-10,800	20,600	1.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	994,700	1,006,200	978,300	-11,500	16,400	1.7
GOODS PRODUCING	143,500	149,800	144,800	-6,300	-1,300	-0.9
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	62,300	62,800	59,200	-500	3,100	5.2
MANUFACTURING	81,200	87,000	85,600	-5,800	-4,400	-5.1
SERVICE-PROVIDING	996,100	1,000,600	974,200	-4,500	21,900	2.2
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	851,200	856,400	833,500	-5,200	17,700	2.1
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	225,200	225,700	225,100	-500	100	0.0
Wholesale Trade	52,000	51,800	51,500	200	500	1.0
Retail Trade	106,800	108,200	108,000	-1,400	-1,200	-1.1
General Merchandise Retailers	22,600	23,000	22,200	-400	400	1.8
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	66,400	65,700	65,600	700	800	1.2
INFORMATION	16,900	16,900	16,600	0	300	1.8
Telecommunications	4,500	4,500	4,600	0	-100	-2.2
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	79,700	80,900	78,000	-1,200	1,700	2.2
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	195,300	198,100	193,900	-2,800	1,400	0.7
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	100,700	102,500	98,400	-1,800	2,300	2.3
Management of Companies and Enterprises	23,100	23,200	21,400	-100	1,700	7.9
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	71,500	72,400	74,100	-900	-2,600	-3.5
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	169,000	168,300	160,800	700	8,200	5.1
Health Care and Social Assistance	149,200	149,100	143,900	100	5,300	3.7
Hospitals	44,700	44,600	43,100	100	1,600	3.7
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	120,000	121,200	114,700	-1,200	5,300	4.6
Accommodation and Food Services	97,300	97,700	94,300	-400	3,000	3.2
Food Services and Drinking Places	87,500	88,200	85,800	-700	1,700	2.0
OTHER SERVICES	45,100	45,300	44,400	-200	700	1.6
GOVERNMENT	144,900	144,200	140,700	700	4,200	3.0
Federal Government	28,300	28,100	27,700	200	600	2.2
State Government	15,000	14,800	14,300	200	700	4.9
Local Government	101,600	101,300	98,700	300	2,900	2.9



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**ST. JOSEPH MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	60,800	60,600	59,700	200	1,100	1.8
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**ST. JOSEPH MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	60,600	60,300	59,300	300	1,300	2.2
TOTAL PRIVATE	50,900	50,600	49,700	300	1,200	2.4
GOODS PRODUCING	15,100	15,100	14,400	0	700	4.9
SERVICE-PROVIDING	45,500	45,200	44,900	300	600	1.3
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	35,800	35,500	35,300	300	500	1.4
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	10,900	10,900	11,000	0	-100	-0.9
GOVERNMENT	9,700	9,700	9,600	0	100	1.0
Federal Government	500	500	500	0	0	0.0
State Government	4,500	4,500	4,600	0	-100	-2.2
Local Government	4,700	4,700	4,500	0	200	4.4

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#### **ST. LOUIS MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	1,437,000	1,435,000	1,412,800	2,000	24,200	1.7
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#### **ST. LOUIS MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	1,431,600	1,433,700	1,405,900	-2,100	25,700	1.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	1,294,300	1,297,300	1,268,400	-3,000	25,900	2.0
GOODS PRODUCING	194,900	193,500	193,800	1,400	1,100	0.6
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	73,300	73,200	76,200	100	-2,900	-3.8
MANUFACTURING	121,600	120,300	117,600	1,300	4,000	3.4
Durable Goods	75,600	74,600	72,000	1,000	3,600	5.0
Primary Metal Manufacturing	6,500	6,500	6,400	0	100	1.6
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	22,600	22,500	23,500	100	-900	-3.8
Non-Durable Goods	46,000	45,700	45,600	300	400	0.9
SERVICE-PROVIDING	1,236,700	1,240,200	1,212,100	-3,500	24,600	2.0
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	1,099,400	1,103,800	1,074,600	-4,400	24,800	2.3
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	262,100	263,700	262,100	-1,600	0	0.0
Wholesale Trade	69,100	69,600	67,000	-500	2,100	3.1
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	40,500	39,800	39,600	700	900	2.3
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	20,600	21,600	20,700	-1,000	-100	-0.5
Retail Trade	131,200	132,600	132,200	-1,400	-1,000	-0.8
Food and Beverage Retailers	19,600	19,800	20,100	-200	-500	-2.5
Health and Personal Care Retailers	11,900	11,900	11,700	0	200	1.7
Clothing, Clothing Accessories, Shoe, and Jewelry Retailers	8,000	8,000	8,400	0	-400	-4.8
General Merchandise Retailers	29,200	29,300	29,000	-100	200	0.7
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	61,800	61,500	62,900	300	-1,100	-1.7
INFORMATION	28,900	28,600	29,400	300	-500	-1.7
Telecommunications	7,300	7,300	7,500	0	-200	-2.7
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	97,100	98,900	97,900	-1,800	-800	-0.8
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	26,800	27,400	27,400	-600	-600	-2.2
Depository Credit Intermediation	19,500	19,700	19,600	-200	-100	-0.5
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	36,300	35,700	35,700	600	600	1.7
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	226,300	225,300	221,100	1,000	5,200	2.4
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	97,400	97,600	91,600	-200	5,800	6.3
Scientific Research and Development Services	6,800	6,800	6,300	0	500	7.9
Management of Companies and Enterprises	39,600	39,500	39,400	100	200	0.5
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	89,300	88,200	90,100	1,100	-800	-0.9
Employment Services	30,400	30,500	31,800	-100	-1,400	-4.4
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	22,200	22,300	22,600	-100	-400	-1.8
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	265,400	267,700	261,000	-2,300	4,400	1.7
Private Educational Services	44,800	44,500	41,700	300	3,100	7.4
Health Care and Social Assistance	220,600	223,200	219,300	-2,600	1,300	0.6
Hospitals	75,700	75,400	73,600	300	2,100	2.9
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	31,200	31,300	28,800	-100	2,400	8.3
Social Assistance	52,300	55,400	54,100	-3,100	-1,800	-3.3
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	161,000	161,300	148,300	-300	12,700	8.6
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	30,500	31,200	25,200	-700	5,300	21.0
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	21,800	22,400	17,600	-600	4,200	23.9
Accommodation and Food Services	130,500	130,100	123,100	400	7,400	6.0
Food Services and Drinking Places	118,500	117,300	111,000	1,200	7,500	6.8
OTHER SERVICES	58,600	58,300	54,800	300	3,800	6.9
GOVERNMENT	137,300	136,400	137,500	900	-200	-0.1
Federal Government	25,500	25,500	25,200	0	300	1.2
State Government	13,700	13,500	13,400	200	300	2.2
Local Government	98,100	97,400	98,900	700	-800	-0.8

EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO AUGUST 2023 FROM		
CURRENT MONTH AUGUST 2023 PRELIMINARY	PREVIOUS MONTH JULY 2023 REVISED	YEAR AGO AUGUST 2022 REVISED	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %

**SPRINGFIELD MSA (Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	232,200	232,400	231,100	-200	1,100	0.5
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**SPRINGFIELD MSA (Not Seasonally Adjusted)**

TOTAL NONFARM	228,800	230,700	227,000	-1,900	1,800	0.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	200,600	201,900	199,400	-1,300	1,200	0.6
GOODS PRODUCING	30,100	30,300	30,300	-200	-200	-0.7
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	10,900	11,000	11,000	-100	-100	-0.9
MANUFACTURING	19,200	19,300	19,300	-100	-100	-0.5
SERVICE-PROVIDING	198,700	200,400	196,700	-1,700	2,000	1.0
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	170,500	171,600	169,100	-1,100	1,400	0.8
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	53,400	53,900	53,000	-500	400	0.8
Wholesale Trade	12,200	12,200	12,100	0	100	0.8
Retail Trade	26,700	27,100	26,100	-400	600	2.3
General Merchandise Retailers	6,900	6,900	6,800	0	100	1.5
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	14,500	14,600	14,800	-100	-300	-2.0
INFORMATION	3,400	3,400	3,300	0	100	3.0
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	12,800	12,900	12,700	-100	100	0.8
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	23,600	24,100	25,400	-500	-1,800	-7.1
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	44,800	44,700	42,000	100	2,800	6.7
Health Care and Social Assistance	41,500	41,100	39,000	400	2,500	6.4
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	22,400	22,400	22,800	0	-400	-1.8
Accommodation and Food Services	20,500	20,500	20,400	0	100	0.5
OTHER SERVICES	10,100	10,200	9,900	-100	200	2.0
GOVERNMENT	28,200	28,800	27,600	-600	600	2.2
Federal Government	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	0	0.0
State Government	6,200	6,300	6,200	-100	0	0.0
Local Government	19,600	20,100	19,000	-500	600	3.2

	EMPLOYMENT (JOBS)			CHANGE TO AUGUST 2023 FROM		
	CURRENT MONTH AUGUST 2023 PRELIMINARY	PREVIOUS MONTH JULY 2023 REVISED	YEAR AGO AUGUST 2022 REVISED	PREVIOUS MONTH	YEAR AGO	YEAR AGO %
<b><u>KANSAS CITY MSA - MO PART (Seasonally Adjusted)</u></b>						
TOTAL NONFARM	641,900	647,300	625,500	-5,400	16,400	2.6
<b><u>KANSAS CITY MSA - MO PART (Not Seasonally Adjusted)</u></b>						
TOTAL NONFARM	643,400	649,200	625,700	-5,800	17,700	2.8
TOTAL PRIVATE	554,900	561,700	539,500	-6,800	15,400	2.9
GOODS PRODUCING	83,400	89,200	85,600	-5,800	-2,200	-2.6
MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	37,000	37,100	35,100	-100	1,900	5.4
MANUFACTURING	46,400	52,100	50,500	-5,700	-4,100	-8.1
SERVICE-PROVIDING	560,000	560,000	540,100	0	19,900	3.7
PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	471,500	472,500	453,900	-1,000	17,600	3.9
TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	117,600	118,100	116,400	-500	1,200	1.0
Wholesale Trade	24,900	25,000	26,000	-100	-1,100	-4.2
Retail Trade	60,800	61,700	61,000	-900	-200	-0.3
General Merchandise Retailers	13,100	13,400	13,000	-300	100	0.8
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	31,900	31,400	29,400	500	2,500	8.5
INFORMATION	9,200	9,300	8,900	-100	300	3.4
Telecommunications	2,900	2,900	2,900	0	0	0.0
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	46,500	47,100	43,500	-600	3,000	6.9
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	11,400	11,500	11,500	-100	-100	-0.9
PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	102,400	103,400	100,600	-1,000	1,800	1.8
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	57,800	58,600	56,600	-800	1,200	2.1
Management of Companies and Enterprises	10,200	10,100	8,900	100	1,300	14.6
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	34,400	34,700	35,100	-300	-700	-2.0
PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	93,300	91,700	87,600	1,600	5,700	6.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	78,300	77,400	75,500	900	2,800	3.7
Hospitals	20,700	20,700	20,200	0	500	2.5
LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	75,300	75,500	70,400	-200	4,900	7.0
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	10,300	10,600	8,100	-300	2,200	27.2
Accommodation and Food Services	59,200	59,100	57,300	100	1,900	3.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	52,300	52,500	51,400	-200	900	1.8
OTHER SERVICES	27,200	27,400	26,500	-200	700	2.6
GOVERNMENT	88,500	87,500	86,200	1,000	2,300	2.7
Federal Government	19,500	19,400	19,200	100	300	1.6
State Government	7,700	7,700	7,300	0	400	5.5
Local Government	61,300	60,400	59,700	900	1,600	2.7

**AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS AND EARNINGS\* OF ALL EMPLOYEES ON PRIVATE NONFARM PAYROLLS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)**

AREA	INDUSTRY	CURRENT MONTH - AUGUST 2023				PREVIOUS MONTH - JULY 2023				YEAR AGO - AUGUST 2022			
		All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)
MISSOURI	TOTAL PRIVATE	2,567,800	33.3	30.59	1,018.65	2,592,000	33.6	30.85	1,036.56	2,524,300	34.1	28.45	970.15
	GOODS PRODUCING	431,100	38.6	33.61	1,297.35	438,800	38.9	34.15	1,328.44	432,600	39.6	32.78	1,298.09
	CONSTRUCTION	140,400	36.3	35.84	1,300.99	142,200	37.0	36.74	1,359.38	143,200	39.1	34.39	1,344.65
	MANUFACTURING	286,000	40.3	33.44	1,347.63	291,900	40.2	33.36	1,341.07	284,900	39.5	31.22	1,233.19
	PRIVATE SERVICE PROVIDING	2,136,700	32.2	29.86	961.49	2,153,200	32.5	30.04	976.30	2,091,700	33.0	27.37	903.21
	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	556,300	31.9	29.50	941.05	565,100	32.7	29.53	965.63	555,200	32.4	26.28	851.47
	FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	188,100	37.5	36.30	1,361.25	189,500	38.0	35.87	1,363.06	186,700	37.2	33.64	1,251.41
	PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES	395,700	36.9	35.34	1,304.05	397,500	36.8	35.90	1,321.12	386,800	34.8	34.68	1,206.86
	PRIVATE EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES	497,000	33.3	25.75	857.48	497,600	33.4	26.18	874.41	485,700	33.3	25.58	851.81
	LEISURE AND HOSPITALITY	330,400	23.8	19.59	466.24	334,200	24.2	19.64	475.29	313,500	25.1	18.42	462.34
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	40,400	30.9	22.66	700.19	40,100	31.2	22.75	709.80	39,200	31.9	23.42	747.10
COLUMBIA MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	76,800	30.2	26.12	788.82	76,600	29.9	26.31	786.67	74,200	31.5	24.86	783.09
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	56,900	30.0	26.21	786.30	57,100	30.7	26.40	810.48	54,900	33.3	27.94	930.40
JOPLIN MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	74,500	34.4	23.55	810.12	74,000	34.5	24.40	841.80	72,600	35.5	23.97	850.94
KANSAS CITY MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	994,700	33.3	31.28	1,041.62	1,006,200	33.2	31.54	1,047.13	978,300	33.7	29.20	984.04
ST. JOSEPH MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	50,900	35.8	27.25	975.55	50,600	35.4	28.19	997.93	49,700	35.0	25.34	886.90
ST. LOUIS MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	1,294,300	34.4	35.33	1,215.35	1,297,300	34.6	35.71	1,235.57	1,268,400	34.8	33.80	1,176.24
SPRINGFIELD MSA	TOTAL PRIVATE	200,600	33.8	28.75	971.75	201,900	34.7	29.06	1,008.38	199,400	35.2	25.84	909.57
KANSAS CITY MSA (Missouri part)	TOTAL PRIVATE	554,900	32.9	29.72	977.79	561,700	32.8	29.56	969.57	539,500	32.7	26.04	851.51

\* Hours and earnings estimates are produced for all employees in the private sector, for production employees in Manufacturing and Mining and logging, for construction workers in Construction, and for nonsupervisory workers in private, service-providing industries. The estimates are derived from reports of gross payrolls and corresponding paid hours. The payroll for employees covered by the CES survey is reported before deductions of any kind, such as unemployment insurance, withholding and social security taxes, health plans, union dues, or retirement plans. Included in the payroll reports is pay for overtime, vacations, holidays and sick leave paid directly by the firm. Bonuses, commissions, and other types of non-wage cash payments are excluded unless they are earned and paid regularly (at least once a month). Employee benefits paid by the employer, as well as payments in kind, are excluded.

Total hours during the pay period include all hours worked (including overtime hours), and hours paid for holidays, vacations, and sick leave. Total hours differ from the concept of scheduled hours worked. Estimates of average weekly hours reflect effects of numerous factors such as unpaid absenteeism, labor turnover, part-time work, strikes, and fluctuations in work schedules for economic reasons. Overtime hours in Manufacturing are collected where overtime premiums were paid if hours were in excess of the number of straight time hours in a workday or workweek.

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† Some Metropolitan Area hours and earnings data have been suppressed due to a processing error in the calculation of the estimates that was discovered.

It is anticipated that the estimates will be corrected and released as part of the annual benchmark release.

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**AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION AND NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES ON PRIVATE NONFARM PAYROLLS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)**

AREA	INDUSTRY	CURRENT MONTH - AUGUST 2023				PREVIOUS MONTH - JULY 2023				YEAR AGO - AUGUST 2022			
		All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	All Production/ Nonsupervisory Employees	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings (\$)	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)
MISSOURI	CONSTRUCTION	108,500	36.2	35.21	1,274.60	110,200	37.1	35.03	1,299.61	106,700	40.2	34.02	1,367.60
	Construction of Buildings	19,100	39.4	29.14	1,148.12	18,500	40.9	28.62	1,170.56	20,200	47.9	27.58	1,321.08
	Specialty Trade Contractors	70,000	35.9	34.79	1,248.96	71,400	35.9	35.09	1,259.73	68,400	38.5	33.27	1,280.90
	MANUFACTURING	192,100	41.0	25.73	1,054.93	198,600	39.9	25.45	1,015.46	192,500	39.5	24.51	968.15
	Durable Goods	113,800	42.0	28.03	1,177.26	118,000	40.5	27.84	1,127.52	110,300	40.8	27.32	1,114.66
	Non-Durable Goods	78,300	39.5	22.17	875.72	80,600	38.9	21.81	848.41	82,200	37.8	20.44	772.63
	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES												
	Wholesale Trade	106,000	38.7	31.88	1,233.76	108,500	39.9	31.00	1,236.90	102,700	40.0	25.85	1,034.00
	Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	60,600	39.5	26.32	1,039.64	61,800	40.3	24.78	998.63	57,700	40.5	24.61	996.71
	Retail Trade	269,400	28.1	17.50	491.75	273,600	27.9	17.65	492.44	270,400	27.9	16.73	466.77
	INFORMATION	38,100	38.8	29.55	1,146.54	38,200	38.4	29.74	1,142.02	41,200	36.5	27.38	999.37
	FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	144,000				141,300				140,600			
ST. LOUIS MSA	MINING, LOGGING AND CONSTRUCTION	56,800	37.7	38.96	1,468.79	56,000	37.8	39.91	1,508.60	58,500	38.9	38.40	1,493.76
	MANUFACTURING	59,200	40.0	26.00	1,040.00	59,800	39.4	26.14	1,029.92	66,400	39.7	26.07	1,034.98
	Durable Goods	36,000	42.3	28.73	1,215.28	35,900	41.9	28.55	1,196.25	35,400	41.8	29.74	1,243.13
	Non-Durable Goods	23,200	36.6	21.28	778.85	23,900	35.8	22.13	792.25	31,000	37.5	21.40	802.50
	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	225,200	34.8	24.76	861.65	227,300	35.1	24.67	865.92	224,400	34.0	23.02	782.68
	Wholesale Trade	54,200	40.5	28.67	1,161.14	55,100	42.4	29.21	1,238.50	54,400	39.7	27.15	1,077.86
	Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	32,300	42.6	25.47	1,085.02	31,800	43.4	25.81	1,120.15	31,100	43.2	22.12	955.58
	Retail Trade	118,100	29.3	17.82	522.13	119,600	29.3	17.84	522.71	119,400	28.6	16.84	481.62
	Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	52,900	41.1	31.89	1,310.68	52,600	40.6	30.90	1,254.54	50,600	40.5	28.94	1,172.07
	FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	72,100	36.8	34.37	1,264.82	72,400	36.1	34.28	1,237.51	69,900	35.3	30.33	1,070.65
SPRINGFIELD MSA	Retail Trade	23,700	26.9	17.20	462.68	23,900	26.6	17.48	464.97	24,200	27.5	15.90	437.25
KANSAS CITY MSA (Missouri part)	TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, AND UTILITIES	105,000	30.7	21.03	645.62	105,700	31.5	20.51	646.07	103,700	30.9	19.28	595.75
	Wholesale Trade	21,500	41.6	25.29	1,052.06	21,400	40.0	25.97	1,038.80	21,600	38.8	23.40	907.92
	Retail Trade	54,500	27.5	17.16	471.90	55,700	28.2	17.34	488.99	55,000	27.3	17.10	466.83

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